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In re PATENT APPLICATION OF  
MILLER et al.  
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Title: COUNTERFLOW INSECT TRAP

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please enter the following claims:

1. – 41. (Cancelled).

42. (Previously Added) A device for capturing flying insects, said device comprising:

an insect trap;

an airflow generator generating (a) an outflow comprising an insect attractant and (b) an inflow;

an outflow opening communicated to said airflow generator, said outflow opening enabling said outflow to flow outwardly from said device to create a plume flowing downwardly and spreading radially from said device; and

an inlet opening communicated to said airflow generator and said insect trap and positioned vertically higher than said outlet opening, said airflow generator drawing said inflow substantially counter to and immediately adjacent an upper portion of said plume and then into said trap via said inlet opening such that insects attracted to said outflow and flying